

FORM 1040  
Treasury Department  
Internal Revenue Service

U. S. INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX RETURN  
FOR CALENDAR YEAR 1944

1944

or fiscal year beginning \_\_\_\_\_, 1944, and ending \_\_\_\_\_, 1945

EMPLOYEES.—Instead of this form, you may use your Withholding Receipt, Form W-2 (Rev.), as your return, if your total income was less than \$5,000, consisting wholly of wages shown on Withholding Receipts or of such wages and not more than \$100 of other wages, dividends, and interest.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE PRINT. If this return is for a husband and wife, use both first names)

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
(PLEASE PRINT. Street and number or rural route)  
Social Security No. (if any) \_\_\_\_\_  
(City or town, postal zone number) (State)

Do not write in these spaces

File Code \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_  
District \_\_\_\_\_  
(Cashier's Stamp)

Your Exemptions

1. List your own name. If married and your wife (or husband) had no income, or if this is a joint return of husband and wife, list name of your wife (or husband). List names of other close relatives with 1944 incomes of less than \$500 who received more than one-half of their support from you. If this is a joint return of husband and wife, list dependent relatives of both.

NAME (Please print)	Relationship	NAME (Please print)	Relationship
Your name _____	x x x x x x x x	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

Your Income

2. Enter your total wages, salaries, bonuses, commissions, and other compensation received in 1944, BEFORE PAY-ROLL DEDUCTIONS for taxes, dues, insurance, bonds, etc. Members of armed forces and persons claiming traveling or reimbursed expenses, see Instruction 2.

PRINT EMPLOYER'S NAME	WHERE EMPLOYED (CITY AND STATE)	AMOUNT
_____	_____	\$ _____
_____	_____	\$ _____
_____	_____	\$ _____

Enter total here → \$ \_\_\_\_\_

3. Enter here the total amount of your dividends and interest (including interest from Government obligations unless wholly exempt from taxation) \_\_\_\_\_

4. If you received any other income, give details on page 3 and enter the total here \_\_\_\_\_

5. Add amounts in items 2, 3, and 4, and enter the total here \_\_\_\_\_

If item 5 includes income of both husband and wife, show husband's income here, \$ \_\_\_\_\_; wife's income here, \$ \_\_\_\_\_

How to Figure Your Tax

IF YOUR INCOME WAS LESS THAN \$5,000.—You may find your tax in the tax table on page 2. This table, which is provided by law, is based on the same tax rates as are used in the Tax Computation on page 4. The table automatically allows about 10 percent of your total income for charitable contributions, interest, taxes, casualty losses, medical expenses, and miscellaneous expenses. If your expenditures and losses of these classes amount to more than 10 percent, it will usually be to your advantage to itemize them and compute your tax on page 4.

IF YOUR INCOME WAS \$5,000 OR MORE.—Disregard the tax table and compute your tax on page 4. You may either take a standard deduction of \$500 or itemize your deductions, whichever is to your advantage.

HUSBAND AND WIFE.—If husband and wife file separate returns, and one itemizes deductions, the other must also itemize deductions.

6. Enter your tax from table on page 2, or from line 15, page 4 \_\_\_\_\_

7. How much have you paid on your 1944 income tax?

(A) By withholding from your wages (Attach Withholding Receipts, Form W-2) \_\_\_\_\_

(B) By payments on 1944 Declaration of Estimated Tax \_\_\_\_\_

Enter total here → \$ \_\_\_\_\_

8. If your tax (item 6) is larger than payments (item 7), enter BALANCE OF TAX DUE here \_\_\_\_\_

9. If your payments (item 7) are larger than your tax (item 6), enter the OVERPAYMENT here \_\_\_\_\_

Check (✓) whether you want this overpayment: Refunded to you ☐; or Credited on your 1945 estimated tax ☐

If you filed a return for a prior year, what was the latest year? \_\_\_\_\_

To which Collector's office was it sent? \_\_\_\_\_

To which Collector's office did you pay amount claimed in item 7 (B), above? \_\_\_\_\_

Is your wife (or husband) making a separate return for 1944? \_\_\_\_\_

If "Yes," write below:

Name of wife (or husband) \_\_\_\_\_

Collector's office to which sent \_\_\_\_\_

I declare under the penalties of perjury that this return (including any accompanying schedules and statements) has been examined by me and to the best of my knowledge and belief is a true, correct, and complete return.

(Signature of person (other than taxpayer or agent) preparing return)

(Date)

(Signature of taxpayer)

(Date)

(Name of firm or employer, if any)

(If this is a joint return of husband and wife, it must be signed by both)

(SEE TAX TABLE BELOW)

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If you use this table, tear off this page and file only pages 1 and 3

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TAX TABLE—FOR INCOMES UNDER \$5,000

Read down the shaded columns below until you find the line covering the total income you entered in item 5, page 1. Then read across to the column headed by the number corresponding to the number of persons listed in item 1, page 1. Enter the tax you find there in item 6, page 1. Husband and wife see Special Rule at end of table.

If total income in item 5, page 1, is—		And the number of persons listed in item 1, page 1, is—					If total income in item 5, page 1, is—		And the number of persons listed in item 1, page 1, is—								
At least	But less than	1	2	3	4	5 or more	At least	But less than	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9 or more
		Your tax is—							Your tax is—								
80	\$550	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$2,300	\$2,325	\$364	\$264	\$164	\$64	\$47	\$47	\$47	\$47	\$47
550	575	1	0	0	0	0	2,325	2,350	369	269	169	69	48	48	48	48	48
575	600	7	1	1	1	1	2,350	2,375	374	274	174	74	49	49	49	49	49
600	625	12	2	2	2	2	2,375	2,400	379	279	179	79	49	49	49	49	49
625	650	17	2	2	2	2	2,400	2,425	384	284	184	84	50	50	50	50	50
650	675	22	3	3	3	3	2,425	2,450	390	290	190	90	51	51	51	51	51
675	700	27	4	4	4	4	2,450	2,475	395	295	195	95	51	51	51	51	51
700	725	32	4	4	4	4	2,475	2,500	400	300	200	100	52	52	52	52	52
725	750	38	5	5	5	5	2,500	2,525	405	305	205	105	53	53	53	53	53
750	775	43	6	6	6	6	2,525	2,550	410	310	210	110	54	54	54	54	54
775	800	48	6	6	6	6	2,550	2,575	415	315	215	115	54	54	54	54	54
800	825	53	7	7	7	7	2,575	2,600	421	321	221	121	55	55	55	55	55
825	850	58	8	8	8	8	2,600	2,625	426	326	226	126	56	56	56	56	56
850	875	64	8	8	8	8	2,625	2,650	431	331	231	131	56	56	56	56	56
875	900	69	9	9	9	9	2,650	2,675	436	336	236	136	57	57	57	57	57
900	925	74	10	10	10	10	2,675	2,700	441	341	241	141	58	58	58	58	58
925	950	79	10	10	10	10	2,700	2,725	446	346	246	146	58	58	58	58	58
950	975	84	11	11	11	11	2,725	2,750	452	352	252	152	59	59	59	59	59
975	1,000	89	12	12	12	12	2,750	2,775	457	357	257	157	60	60	60	60	60
1,000	1,025	95	12	12	12	12	2,775	2,800	462	362	262	162	62	60	60	60	60
1,025	1,050	100	13	13	13	13	2,800	2,825	468	367	267	167	67	61	61	61	61
1,050	1,075	105	14	14	14	14	2,825	2,850	473	372	272	172	72	62	62	62	62
1,075	1,100	110	14	14	14	14	2,850	2,875	479	378	278	178	78	62	62	62	62
1,100	1,125	115	15	15	15	15	2,875	2,900	485	383	283	183	83	63	63	63	63
1,125	1,150	120	16	16	16	16	2,900	2,925	490	388	288	188	88	64	64	64	64
1,150	1,175	126	16	16	16	16	2,925	2,950	496	393	293	193	93	64	64	64	64
1,175	1,200	131	17	17	17	17	2,950	2,975	502	398	298	198	98	65	65	65	65
1,200	1,225	136	18	18	18	18	2,975	3,000	507	403	303	203	103	66	66	66	66
1,225	1,250	141	18	18	18	18	3,000	3,025	516	411	311	211	111	67	67	67	67
1,250	1,275	146	19	19	19	19	3,025	3,100	527	422	322	222	122	68	68	68	68
1,275	1,300	152	20	20	20	20	3,100	3,150	538	432	332	232	132	69	69	69	69
1,300	1,325	157	20	20	20	20	3,150	3,200	549	442	342	242	142	71	71	71	71
1,325	1,350	162	21	21	21	21	3,200	3,250	561	453	353	253	153	72	72	72	72
1,350	1,375	167	22	22	22	22	3,250	3,300	572	463	363	263	163	73	73	73	73
1,375	1,400	172	22	22	22	22	3,300	3,350	583	473	373	273	173	75	75	75	75
1,400	1,425	177	23	23	23	23	3,350	3,400	594	484	384	284	184	84	76	76	76
1,425	1,450	183	24	24	24	24	3,400	3,450	606	496	394	294	194	94	77	77	77
1,450	1,475	188	24	24	24	24	3,450	3,500	617	507	404	304	204	104	79	79	79
1,475	1,500	193	25	25	25	25	3,500	3,550	628	518	415	315	215	115	80	80	80
1,500	1,525	198	26	26	26	26	3,550	3,600	639	529	425	325	225	125	82	82	82
1,525	1,550	203	27	27	27	27	3,600	3,650	651	541	435	335	235	135	83	83	83
1,550	1,575	208	27	27	27	27	3,650	3,700	662	552	446	346	246	146	84	84	84
1,575	1,600	214	28	28	28	28	3,700	3,750	673	563	456	356	256	156	86	86	86
1,600	1,625	219	28	28	28	28	3,750	3,800	684	574	466	366	266	166	87	87	87
1,625	1,650	224	29	29	29	29	3,800	3,850	696	586	477	377	277	177	88	88	88
1,650	1,675	229	29	29	29	29	3,850	3,900	707	597	487	387	287	187	90	90	90
1,675	1,700	234	30	30	30	30	3,900	3,950	718	608	498	397	297	197	91	91	91
1,700	1,725	239	31	31	31	31	3,950	4,000	729	619	509	408	308	208	92	92	92
1,725	1,750	245	31	31	31	31	4,000	4,050	741	631	521	418	318	218	94	94	94
1,750	1,775	250	32	32	32	32	4,050	4,100	752	642	532	429	329	229	95	95	95
1,775	1,800	255	33	33	33	33	4,100	4,150	763	653	543	439	339	239	96	96	96
1,800	1,825	260	34	34	34	34	4,150	4,200	774	664	554	449	349	249	98	98	98
1,825	1,850	265	35	35	35	35	4,200	4,250	786	676	566	460	360	260	99	99	99
1,850	1,875	271	35	35	35	35	4,250	4,300	797	687	577	470	370	270	100	100	100
1,875	1,900	276	36	36	36	36	4,300	4,350	808	698	588	480	380	280	102	102	102
1,900	1,925	281	37	37	37	37	4,350	4,400	819	709	599	491	391	291	103	103	103
1,925	1,950	286	37	37	37	37	4,400	4,450	831	721	611	501	401	301	104	104	104
1,950	1,975	291	38	38	38	38	4,450	4,500	842	732	622	512	411	311	111	111	111
1,975	2,000	296	39	39	39	39	4,500	4,550	853	743	633	523	422	322	112	112	112
2,000	2,025	302	40	40	40	40	4,550	4,600	864	754	644	534	432	332	113	113	113
2,025	2,050	307	41	41	41	41	4,600	4,650	876	766	656	546	442	342	114	114	114
2,050	2,075	312	42	42	42	42	4,650	4,700	887	777	667	557	453	353	115	115	115
2,075	2,100	317	43	43	43	43	4,700	4,750	898	788	678	568	463	363	116	116	116
2,100	2,125	322	44	44	44	44	4,750	4,800	909	799	689	579	473	373	117	117	117
2,125	2,150	327	45	45	45	45	4,800	4,850	921	811	701	591	484	384	118	118	118
2,150	2,175	333	46	46	46	46	4,850	4,900	932	822	712	602	494	394	119	119	119
2,175	2,200	338	47	47	47	47	4,900	4,950	943	833	723	613	504	404	120	120	120
2,200	2,225	343	48	48	48	48	4,950	5,000	954	844	734	624	515	415	121	121	121
2,225	2,250	348	49	49	49	49											
2,250	2,275	353	50	50	50	50											
2,275	2,300	359	51	51	51	51											

SPECIAL RULE FOR HUSBAND AND WIFE

If item 5, page 1, includes the incomes of both husband and wife, reduce the tax you found in the table by 3 percent of the smaller of the two incomes but not by more than \$15. For an example, if the tax on the husband's income is \$100 and the tax on the wife's income is \$80, the smaller of the two incomes is \$80. 3 percent of \$80 is \$2.40. The tax on the husband and wife is \$100 minus \$2.40, or \$97.60.



## Schedule A.—INCOME FROM ANNUITIES OR PENSIONS

1. Cost of annuity (total amount you paid in)	\$		4. Total amount received this year	\$	
2. Amount received tax-free in prior years			5. Excess, if any, of line 4 over line 3		
3. Remainder of your cost (line 1 less line 2)	\$		6. Enter line 5, or 3 percent of line 1, whichever is greater	\$	

## Schedule B.—INCOME FROM RENTS AND ROYALTIES

1. Kind of property	2. Amount of rent or royalty	3. Depreciation or depletion (explain in Schedule F)	4. Repairs (explain in Schedule G)	5. Other expenses (itemize in Schedule G)
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Net profit (or loss) (col. 2 less sum of cols. 3, 4, and 5)	\$	\$	\$	\$

## Schedule C.—PROFIT (OR LOSS) FROM BUSINESS OR PROFESSION. (Farmers should obtain Form 1040F)

(State (1) nature of business \_\_\_\_\_; (2) business name \_\_\_\_\_)

1. Total receipts	\$		OTHER BUSINESS DEDUCTIONS	
COST OF GOODS SOLD (To be used where inventories are an income-determining factor) (Enter the letters "C," or "C or M," on line 2 and 8 if inventories are valued at either cost, or cost or market whichever is lower)			11. Salaries and wages not included as "Labor"	\$
2. Inventory at beginning of year	\$		12. Interest on business indebtedness	
3. Merchandise bought for sale			13. Taxes on business and business property	
4. Labor			14. Losses (explain in Schedule G)	
5. Material and supplies			15. Bad debts arising from sales or services	
6. Other costs (explain in Schedule G)			16. Depreciation, obsolescence and depletion (explain in Schedule F)	
7. Total of lines 2 to 6	\$		17. Rent, repairs, and other expenses (explain in Schedule G)	
8. Less inventory at end of year			18. Amortization of emergency facilities (attach statement)	
9. Net cost of goods sold (line 7 less line 8)	\$		19. Net operating loss deduction (attach statement)	
10. Gross profit (line 1 less line 9)	\$		20. Total of lines 11 to 19	\$
			21. Total of lines 9 and 20	\$
			22. Net profit (or loss) (line 1 less line 21)	

## Schedule D.—GAINS AND LOSSES FROM SALES OR EXCHANGES OF CAPITAL ASSETS, ETC.

1. Net gain (or loss) from sale or exchange of capital assets (from separate Schedule D)	
2. Net gain (or loss) from sale or exchange of property other than capital assets (from separate Schedule D)	

## Schedule E.—INCOME FROM PARTNERSHIPS, ESTATES AND TRUSTS, AND OTHER SOURCES

Name and address of partnership, syndicate, etc.	Amount, \$	
Name and address of estate or trust	Amount,	
Other sources (state nature)	Amount,	
Total		

Total income from above sources (Enter as item 4, page 1)

\$

## Schedule F.—EXPLANATION OF DEDUCTION FOR DEPRECIATION CLAIMED IN SCHEDULES B AND C

1. Kind of property (If buildings, state material of which constructed)	2. Date acquired	3. Cost or other basis (Do not include land or other nondepreciable property)	4. Assets fully depreciated in use at end of year	5. Depreciation allowed (or allowable) in prior years	6. Remaining cost or other basis to be recovered	7. Estimated life used in accumulating depreciation	8. Estimated remaining life from beginning of year	9. Depreciation allowable this year
		\$	\$	\$	\$			\$

## Schedule G.—EXPLANATION OF COLUMNS 4 AND 5 OF SCHEDULE B, AND LINES 6, 14, AND 17 OF SCHEDULE C

1. Column or Line No.	2. Explanation	3. Amount	1. Column or Line No.	2. Explanation	3. Amount
		\$			\$

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Do not itemize deductions if—(1) You determine your tax from the tax table on page 2, or  
(2) Your total income is \$5,000 or more and you claim the \$500 standard deduction.  
If husband and wife living together at end of year file separate returns and one itemizes deductions, the other must file his or her return on Form 1040, and must also itemize deductions.

## DEDUCTIONS

Describe deductions and state to whom paid. If more space is needed, list deductions on separate sheet of paper and attach to this return

Amount

Contributions		\$	
	Allowable Contributions (not in excess of 15 percent of item 5, page 1)	\$	
Interest		\$	
	Total Interest		
Taxes		\$	
	Total Taxes		
Losses from fire, storm, shipwreck, or other casualty, or theft		\$	
	Total Allowable Losses (not compensated by insurance or otherwise)		
Medical and dental expenses		\$	
	Net Expenses (not compensated by insurance or otherwise)	\$	
	Enter 5 percent of item 5, page 1, and subtract from Net Expenses		
Miscellaneous (including alimony, amortizable bond premium, special deduction for the blind, etc.)		\$	
	Total Miscellaneous Deductions		
TOTAL DEDUCTIONS		\$	

## TAX COMPUTATION—FOR PERSONS NOT USING TAX TABLE ON PAGE 2

1. Enter amount shown in item 5, page 1. This is your Adjusted Gross Income	\$	
2. Enter DEDUCTIONS (if deductions are itemized above, enter the total of such deductions; if adjusted gross income (line 1, above) is \$5,000 or more and deductions are not itemized, enter the standard deduction of \$500)		
3. Subtract line 2 from line 1. Enter the difference here. This is your Net Income	\$	
4. Enter your Surtax Exemptions (\$500 for each person listed in item 1, page 1)		
5. Subtract line 4 from line 3. Enter the difference here. This is your Surtax Net Income	\$	
6. Use the Surtax Table in instruction sheet to figure your Surtax on amount entered on line 5. Enter the amount here	\$	
7. Copy the figure you entered on line 3, above. (If line 3 includes partially tax-exempt interest, see Tax Computation Instructions)	\$	
8. Enter your Normal-Tax Exemption (\$500 if return includes income of only one person; otherwise see Tax Computation Instructions)	\$	
9. Subtract line 8 from line 7, and enter the difference here	\$	
10. Enter here 3 percent of line 9. This is your Normal Tax	\$	
11. Add the figures on lines 6 and 10, and enter the total here. (If alternative tax computation is made on separate Schedule D, enter here tax from line 15 of Schedule D)	\$	
If you used the \$500 standard deduction in line 2, disregard lines 12, 13, & 14, and copy on line 15 the same figure you entered on line 11		
12. Enter here any income tax payments to a foreign country or U. S. possession (attach Form 1116)	\$	
13. Enter here any income tax paid at source on tax-free covenant bond interest		
14. Add the figures on lines 12 and 13 and enter the total here		
15. Subtract line 14 from line 11. Enter the difference here and in item 6, page 1. This is your tax	\$	